

Fallers (45-4021)

Occupation description: Use axes or chainsaws to fell trees using knowledge of tree characteristics and cutting techniques to control direction of fall and minimize tree damage.

Employment and Job Openings

	Average employment			Average annual openings		
	2010 estimate	2020 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	88	80	-9.1	0	2	2
United States	9,600	9,900	3.1	30	230	260

Job outlook

Alaska: Alaska's employment growth is low with low employment opportunities. [Read more.](#)

2013 Wages ?

	Mean Wage and 95% Confidence Interval			Wage by Percentile		
	Low	Mean	High	10th	Median	90th
United States	n/a	19.50	n/a	10.39	16.60	32.79
Alaska	22.56	28.34	34.12	18.83	26.33	42.76
Southeast Region	20.72	31.72	42.72	23.70	27.96	44.08

Labor Force Indicators

2012 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
191	121	63.4	42.6	31.9

2012 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	25
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	17
UI claimants previously working in occupation	77

2012 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	163
Number of job position postings	0
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	0.0

Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

Education: High school diploma or equivalent

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: Moderate-term on-the-job training

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